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Quarters of 8th VP Bereitschaft of Land Saxony-Anhalt

Flak Kaserne, Kochstedt (M 52/E 06) near Dessau

Strength

About 50 officers and 1,000 police.

Organization

Headquarters

Three Kommandos

One Special Kommando of about 50 police, including all
personnel who had undergone advanced signal training.

Officers

Chefinspekteur Freitag (fnu), commandant of
the Kochstedt school.

Oberpolizeirat Lrdmann (fnu), CO of the Bereitschaft.

Armament

About twenty light machine guns (model 34) and an
unidentified number of assault rifles, carbines (model
98 K), submachine guns and pistols (model 08).

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Training

Basic infantry training and intensive radio training.

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